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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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DISTRIBUTION SERVICE  
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated August 12, 2005, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this document.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this document.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are discussed on page 9 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this document.

**Amendments to the Abstract** are provided at the end of this document, and include a marked-up Abstract showing changes made and a replacement Abstract.

Please amend the application as follows: